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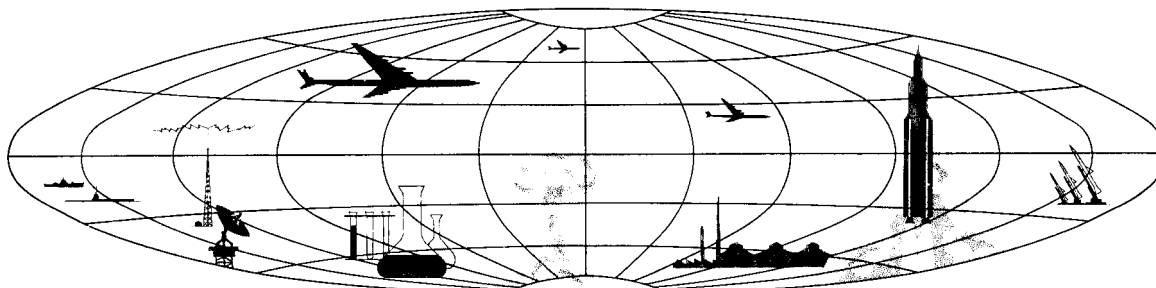
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small-arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training area or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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TRAINING AREA

(46-04N 030-17E)

BELGOROD-DNESTROVSKIY, ODESSKAYA OBLAST, USSR

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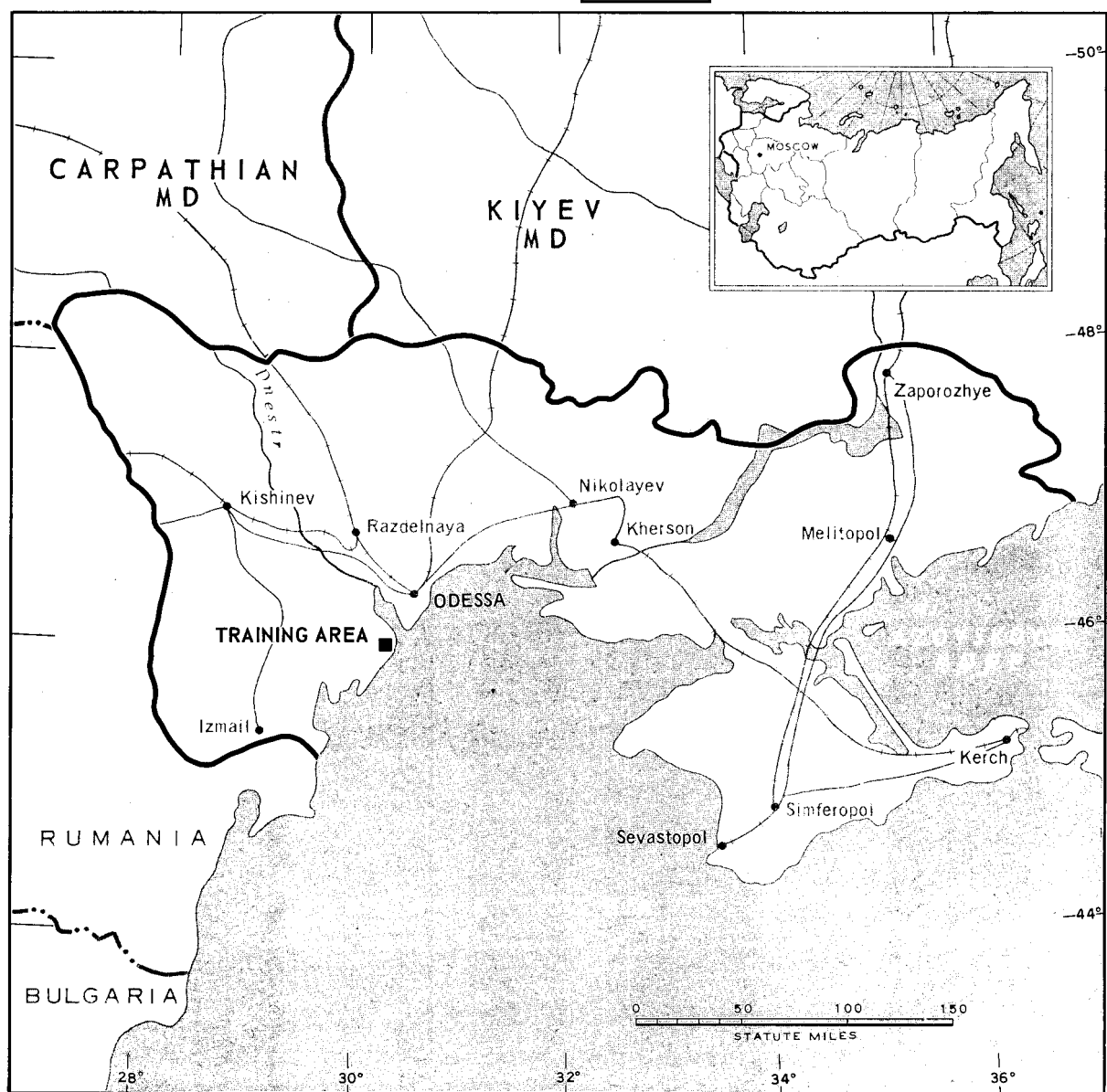


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF TRAINING AREA.

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FIGURE 2. TRAINING AREA, BELGOROD-DNESTROVSKIY, USSR

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SUMMARY

A training area is located 14 kilometers (km) south-southwest of Belgorod-Dnestrovskiy (Figure 1).

This training area covers approximately 990 acres and contains 7 probable quarters, 2 storage buildings, 2 support buildings, a fire-control tower, a tank/assault-gun firing range, a closed-circuit wheeled-vehicle driver-training course, 2 figure-8 wheeled-vehicle driver-training

courses, a closed-circuit tracked-vehicle driver-training course, and a probable vehicle-mounted automatic-weapons firing range.

The training area was covered by [] missions between [] No significant change in facilities was observed and a moderate level of usage was sustained on all coverage.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

An all-weather road provides access to Belgorod-Dnestrovskiy.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 7 probable quarters.

Other Buildings and Facilities

Two storage buildings and 2 support buildings are scattered throughout the training area.

Driver-Training Areas

Area M1 is a closed-circuit wheeled-vehicle driver-training course.

Area M2 contains a closed-circuit tracked-vehicle driver-training course and 2 figure-8 wheeled-vehicle driver-training courses.

Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Range N is 4,800 feet long with three 2,800-foot firing lanes and 6 moving target runs. A fire-control tower is located near the static firing line.

Infantry Field Training Area

Infantry trenches and foxholes are scattered throughout Area R.

Special Training Facilities

Range S is probably used for automatic-weapons mounted on wheeled vehicles. Maximum firing distance is approximately 700 feet. The range has 2 moving target runs.

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MAPS OR CHARTS

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